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A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

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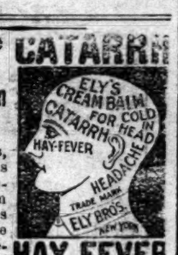

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Knowing full well that every man and boy in this city would like to look neat and trim on

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POLICE SYMPATHIZE WITH STRIKERS.

Early yesterday morning the officials of Chester, Pa., had disavowed calling for State constables to preserve order, and the troopers had left the vicinity of the car barns to avoid the necessity of shedding the blood of the mob that surrounded them, the rioters having adopted more vicious tactics than had prevailed before. The bayloft of a stable adjoining the car barns was soaked with kerosene and was set on fire, the evident intention being to burn the car barns.

There were 1,000 men and boys in the mob when the fire began, and this number was soon doubled. The fire caused $2,500 damage, but a favorable wind saved the barns. The police, still wearing paper placards on their hats announcing their sympathy with the strikers, maintained their attitude of indifference and made no pretense of dispersing the mob. The State troopers, in camp outside the town, refuse to give any assistance till they are called upon by the proper authorities.

When a train pulled into the Baltimore and Ohio station yesterday the cry, "Here come the scabs!" was raised. In a twinkling the mob about the car barn, which is less than a square from the station, took up the cry and made a rush to the station.

The mob jammed into the station and ran wildly through the train searching for strike-breakers. They found none. Another train was held up just outside the city and searched.

All the switches on the tracks in Chester and nearby, have been destroyed by the strikers or their sympathizers.

LOST IN A SWAMP.

Lost within a mile of their home on Sunday afternoon last, Frank, two years old, and Katie, four years old, the children of Frank Emala, a farmer, living in the vicinity of Bengies Station, near Baltimore, were not found until yesterday morning. During the interventing time they had nothing to eat and were thinly clad in only one garment each.

As soon as Mr. Emala gave the alarm searching parties started and stayed out nearly all Sunday night, all of Monday and most of Monday night. About ten o'clock yesterday morning Harry Pielert heard a child crying as he searched the marsh known as Muddy Cap, at the head of Saltpeter creek, a tributary of Middle river. Hastening in the direction of the sounds, he saw the two children lying in the swamp, face to face, and snuggling close to each other. Katie was crying as she lay there trying to shield her little brother from the cold wind.

The children had removed their shoes and stockings. Their bodies were red and badly swollen from the cold, and both were suffering from hunger. Katie had spread her thin dress over her brother's legs as far as she could in an effort to keep him warm. It is believed both children will survive their experience.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

BLACK HAND OUTRAGES.

Black Hand blackmailers late yesterday afternoon exploded a dynamite bomb in the hallway of 336 east Twelfth street, New York, adjoining the bank and living rooms of Augustina Bonomolo. Every door was blown in and the stairway shattered, cutting off the escape of twenty-eight panic-stricken families. The tenement in which Bonomolo lived is a seven-story building. Bonomolo lives on the ground floor, and has his private bank in the basement. For weeks he has been receiving Black Hand letters reminding him of his brother Dominick's fate. Dominick has a bank at 246 Elizabeth street. Several weeks ago a bomb was hurled at it, doing some damage.

Yesterday afternoon some one unknown to the police set off the dynamite bomb against Augustina Bonomolo's door. In the flat at the time were the banker, his wife, and six children. Every window in the neighborhood was shattered. Tenants came screaming down from the top stories of the shaken building to find that the explosion had torn away the stairs. Three women jumped and were slightly injured.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time allays inflammation. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Shake off the grip of your old enemy, Nasal Catarrh, by using Ely's Cream Balm. Then will the swelling and soreness be driven out of the tender, inflamed membranes. The fits of sneezing will cease and the discharge, as offensive to others as to yourself, will be stopped when the causes that produce it are removed. Cleanliness, comfort and renewed health by the use of Cream Balm. Sold by all druggists for 50c, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

25 sacks choice COFFEES received, to be freshly roasted and sold at 20c and 25c by J. C. MILBURN.

Sweet and Sour Pickles for sale at 12 cents a dozen J. C. MILBURN.

Gentle and Effective

"A well-known Manitoba editor writes: "As an insid worker I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invaluable for the touches of biliousness natural to sedentary life, their action being gentle and effective, clearing the digestive tract and the head." Price, 25 cents. Samples free. W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Southern Railway Spring and Summer Schedule.

Southern Railway inaugurates its spring and summer schedules today, April 13th, throughout its entire system. It has been found necessary, for economic reasons, to curtail train service in some instances. Nos. 9 and 10, local trains between Washington, Alexandria and Danville, Va., and Nos 33 and 34, through trains between Washington, Alexandria and Augusta, Ga., are discontinued and the schedules of other trains readjusted and the sleeping car lines augmented to fully meet the requirements of the traveling public. The facilities, however, for reaching the various summer resorts and commercial centers of the Southern States, including western North Carolina, Gulf Coast and Texas points and New Orleans, have not been abridged.

Train No. 35, for Atlanta and New Orleans, passing Alexandria on new schedule, 8.32 a. m., and doing local work from Manassas to Danville, will stop at Alexandria to take on and leave passengers.

The schedules on the Bluemont Branch, points along which are liberally patronized by our Alexandria people, will be adjusted later in the season.

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All orders received by mail or telephone have our prompt attention.

Easter Dress Goods.

Our dress goods department offers many new and attractive materials suitable for your Easter dress—at exceptionally inviting prices. Let us show you our large variety from

25c to $1.50 yard.

Easter Dress Silks.

Our silk department offers many new and attractive silks, suitable for waists or dresses, at very popular prices,

From 39c to $2.00 a yard

New Easter Suits

In our suit department on the second floor will be found a large variety of new Easter suits, all hand-tailored, direct from the best shops in New York—which insures style and workmanship,

From $12.50 to $25

New Easter Skirts.

Our Spring line of ladies' new dress Skirts are now on sale. All the new thin materials. Most carefully tailored. Will be found here.

New Mohair Skirts

Each $3.50 and $5.00

NEW PANAMA SKIRTS

Each $3.50, $5.00, $6.50 $7.50, $9.50.

New Voile Skirts

Each $5, $6 98, $8.50, $12.50 and $15.00.

The popular standard patterns always 10 and 15c.

Every Thursday is our

REMNANT DAY,

Which is Alexandria's bargain Day.

New Spring HOUSE-FURNISHINGS.

We are prepared to make your house as pretty and comfortable as you should possibly wish. We are showing a splendid assortment of the latest patterns and designs in

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Reduction in Tomatoes. 3 cans Nanticokes 25c. S. & W. Tomatoes 11c each. J. C. MILBURN.

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Sale of Women's Fashionable Easter Suits, Waists and Skirts:

Ladies Black Silk Lace Waists, $8 98 value, at..... $6.98
Ladies' Black India Silk Waists, at..... $1.98, $2.98, $3.98
Ladies' Taffeta Silk Waists, white, pink, blue and black, handsomely trimmed; $6.98 value, for..... $4.98
Lace Waists, white and ecru, for..... $2.98
Beautiful line White Lawn Waists, at.. $1.00
Ladies' White Lingerie Suits, Princess style, at..... $3.98
Ladies' Fancy "La Tosca" Mull Jumper Suits, at..... $3.98
Ladies' Lawn House Dresses, at..... $1.00
Ladies' Cannon Cloth Top Skirts, white black, pink, blue, at..... $1.19
Ladies' Suits, in fancy mixtures, light and dark colors, $17.98 value, at..... $12.98
Ladies' Herringbone Suits at..... $14.98
Ladies Panama Suits $14.98 value at ... $10.98
Black Silk Taffeta Suits, $.5 value, at. $19.98
Black Silk Petticoats. $5.98 value, at... $4.98
Black Veil Skirts, satin trimmed..... $4.98, $6.98, $10.98
Ladies' Skirts, in plain and fancy mixtures, $3.98 value, at..... $2.98
Ladies' Panama Skirts, $5 value, at..... $3.98

Easter Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear, Etc

Silk Gloves, 16 button length, black and white, at..... 98c
Tan Silk Gloves, 16 button length, $1.50 quality, at..... $1.25
2 Clasp Lisle Gloves, all colors..... 25c
16 button length Kid Gloves, at..... $2 98
2 clasp guaranteed Kid Glove at $1 is a Beauty.
Ladies' Black Drop-stitch Hose, 25c value, at..... 17c pair
Ladies' Tan Drop-stitch Hose, at..... 12½c pair
Ladies' Very Thin Lisle Hose, black and tan, at..... 25c pair
Ladies' Mercerized Lisle Hosiery, at..... 50c and $1 pair
Children's Tan Hosiery..... 12½c pair
Ladies' Embroidered Collars..... 12½c
Ladies' Merry Widow Bows..... 10c
Merry Widow Satin Bows..... 25c

Beautiful line Fancy Beltings . . . 19c

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Fascinating EASTER HATS

Small Hats, Medium Hats, Large Hats, every shape one could imagine. Every color and Black. Hundreds of delightful new models, fresh from the fingers of the cleverest milliners.

Women's Hats from $2 to $10.

Children's Hats from 75c to $7.50.

Extraordinary $15 Easter Suits at $10.

Silk Jumper Suits $12.50, in all colors. Japanese Silk Waists, black or white, special $2.

EASTER GLOVES, in the leading shades, from 25c to $3.

16 Button French Kid Gloves, black, white and tan. Regular $4, special $3

Children's Dresses, white or colored, from 25c to $5.

Boys' Wash Suits, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50 up to $3.50, all sizes, from 2 years to 14 years. The New 1908 Parasols, ready to show you their beauty, gay as a garden of butterflies, with their rich, pretty colors, ranging in price from 50c to $5.

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Resources.

Loans and Investments	$789,150 89
U. S Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	15,501 28
Cash	50,123 27
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	100,944 49
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,115,719 93

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	177,150 20
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	688,129 78
U S. Deposits	50,298 14
Other Liabilities	141 81
	$1,115,719.93

Entwisle's Modern Pharmacy,

1120 KING STREET (Next to Fayette).

Emulsion Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites of Lime and and Soda, were 50c, now.....39c
Moth Crystal Flakes, sure death to moths, were 25c, now.....19c
Triple Extract Perfumes, all odors, were 50c oz., now 25c oz
Beef, Iron and Wine, were 50c now.....39c
Derby Hat Cleaner, was 10c, now..... 5c
Black-o-Line, for blacking straw; gives a high polish.....10c per bottle
Two quart Fountain Syringes, regular price $1; now 69c
Whisk Brooms.....15c now 12c, 25c now 19c, 40c now 33c
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Delicious Hams, Bacon, Shoulders, Sausages and Cooked Meats.

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DWELLINGS.

911 Cameron, 9-room brick $3,500
507 N. Columbus, 6-room brick, $2,500
218 N. Fairfax, 3-room brick, $2,500.

LOTS.

A number of lots in Braddock Heights, small cash payment—balance monthly.

FOR RENT.

DWELLINGS.

507 Prince, 8 rooms, $27 50
716 Queen, 6 rooms, $22.
120 north St. Asaph, 6 rooms, $20.
421 south Washington, 6 rooms, $20.
114 Prince, 8 rooms, $12.50
126 north Payne, 5 rooms, $9.
117 Prince, 8 rooms, $8.
415 south Alfred, 6 rooms, $7.50.
1314 Princess, 6 rooms, $12.50.

APARTMENTS.

211 north Fairfax, 5 rooms, $22
1315 Duke, 6 rooms, $15.
208 King, 4 rooms, $7.50.
113 south Lee, 4 rooms, $7.50.

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We will have daily those delicious Rhubarb Pies from the fresh plant received daily, and Strawberry Short Cake balance of the season.

Also the latest novelties in Easter goods, imported and domestic. See our west window.

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VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE, Lexington, Va.—The Board of Visitors, at their annual meeting on the 20th day of next June, will appoint STATE CADETS to fill vacancies in the 1st, 3d, 7th, 8th, 16th, 18th, 22d, 24th, 25th, 27th, 28th, 30th, 33d, and 34th Senatorial Districts and several AT LARGE. These appointments carry free board and tuition. Applications should be addressed to the undersigned on or before June 10th, on forms that will be sent upon request. E. W. NICHOLS.

apr14 tu&f6w Acting Superintendent.

ON SATURDAY, the 25th day of April, 1908, at the hour of three o'clock p. m., I will expose for sale at public auction, at the store of G. H. Hinken & Son, No 622 King street, Alexandria Va., the following described portraits:

Two (2) of the late Josiah H. D. Smoot, two (2) of the late Mrs. F. P. Smoot, one (1) of the late George H. Smoot.

Terms of sale: Cash.

W. STROTHER JONES,
Executor of Frances B. Smoot, deceased.
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NOTICE.—Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of ISAAC M. STUDDS, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement of their indebtedness, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for settlement.

Mrs. LUCY M. STUDDS,
apr11 10t* Administratrix.

Reductions in RAISINS and CURRANTS. —Best Seeded Raisins, 12c. Best Cleaned Currants, 10c. For sale by J. C. MILBURN.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of LEONARD BROWN, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement of their indebtedness, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified to me for settlement.

L. V. BROWN, 1706 Duke street,
apr3 10t* Administrator.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APR. 15, 1908.

CONTRARY, it is said, to the advice of the republican leaders and of some of his best friends in the House, President Roosevelt sent to Congress yesterday the much-discussed special message urging the appropriation of sufficient millions to provide four battleships instead of two, as now provided in the naval appropriation bill. It is believed on every hand that the president's persistence in urging four battleships was ill-advised. The House leaders claim to have the situation so well in hand that Capt. Hobson's amendment for four battleships will be defeated, while in the Senate there is not the slightest doubt that even if the president won his fight in the House for four ships he would be defeated in the Senate. Indeed, there is a possibility that Mr. Burton, of Ohio, the president's ally and champion in all other matters, may carry his fight against four battleships to the extent of fighting even the present House provision for two ships, and that the end of it all may be only one battleship this year. It seems absolutely certain that Congress will not agree with the president that the "most vital and immediate need" of the country at this time is four battleships. The message was not read in the House until late in the afternoon. Its treatment in the Senate was discourteous almost to the degree of offensiveness. The message was delivered in the Senate while Mr. Foraker was making his address attacking the president's injustice to the colored soldiers. The time for reading the message could not have been more inopportune. The galleries were in an uproar, for the cheering blacks, wrought almost to frenzy by Mr. Foraker's tribute to the colored soldiers were noisily trooping out of the galleries, some still cheering the Ohio Senator. On the floor of the Senate Mr. Foraker's colleagues were shaking his hand and congratulating him on his address. The sound of Mr. Fairbanks' gavel vainly seeking to restore order could scarcely be heard above the din. Amidst all this confusion the reading of the message was begun. One or two senators asked for order that they could hear the message, but the rest gave absolutely no heed. The reading clerk, taking advantage of the noise and confusion, read the first few lines of the message, then skipping all the rest of the page turned to the second page. Here again he read only a concluding sentence and with a flourish concluded with the signature. "Theodore Roosevelt." A Senator moved to adjourn, and in a twinkling the session was over. The debate on the naval appropriation bill was on in the House when the message arrived and it quickly became noised about that the anticipated document had reached the House. All sorts of questions were asked of the floor leaders as to when the reading of the message would begin, but a typographical error in the print of the message was seized upon by those opposed to the four battleship plan to delay the reading in the hope that the provision relating to the battleships would be first reached and thereby discount any effect the message might have in bringing members over to the president's view. It looked at one time as if it would be necessary to return the message to the president so that he might make the necessary correction, and when this was avoided, further delay was caused by the necessity of a change which would transform the committee of the whole into the House proper and then return to the committee's method of proceeding. Consequently, the bill was not laid before the House until just before the close of the day's work. It was enthusiastically received by the advocates of a larger navy. The "antis" later gave vent to their feelings by applauding a petition from a number of citizens of New York city, which was read, protesting against the "extravagance of spending over $60,000,000 for four battleships." Congress is getting very restive under Mr. Roosevelt's constant interference and dictation, and a revolt against him may occur at any time.

IN the House of Representatives yesterday during the debate on the naval bill Mr. Driscoll, a representative from New York, said:

I am one of that fast increasing number which regrets that we ever became entangled in the Philippines and which hopes we will soon be able to let go of them.

It is rapidly growing upon many congressmen that the purchase of the Philippines was a bad investment for this government.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., April 15.

Secretary Metcalf presented to the president today, Captain Royal R. Ingersoll, late chief of staff of the Atlantic fleet, who has just been detailed a member of the general board. Captain Ingersoll is the first officer who made the remarkable cruise with the fleet to call on the president. The president was particularly interested in Captain Ingersoll's statement that his observations of the various ships impressed him that the armor-belt on the water line was not too low.

President Roosevelt was counted today. The police are taking their annual census of the population of Washington and the enumerator assigned to the district in which the White House is located, called at the executive offices and formally listed the president, the members of his family and the forces of secretaries, clerks, messengers, etc., with their age, sex and color.

Mr. Watson, of Indiana, announced today, after a conference with the president that Congress would adjourn about May 15. Mr. Watson had a long talk with the president upon the subject last night, and May 9, was agreed upon as the date for adjournment. This morning the president sent for Mr. Watson, and informed him that as he had invited the convention of governors to attend the "Natural Resources Conference" in Washington on May 13, with the understanding that Congress would be in session at that time, he would prefer that the legislative body remain until after they had reached the capital. "It will not do us any harm to stay one week longer," said Watson, "so we can promise to finish up our business by the 15th." In regard to the measures that the administration wishes passed by Congress, Mr. Watson said, the president would be reasonable. "The president realizes," said he, "that some of his bills will fail. But take it as a whole, he and the House are in perfect accord." "How about the amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law?" Mr. Watson was asked. "I do not believe the bill will be reported from the committee." "Is there a chance for tariff revision?" "The House will pass an appropriation to allow the ways and means committee to sit during the recess," said Watson. In reply to a question about battleships Watson said he did not believe the president would get the number he wanted and he also expressed some doubt about the passage of the Aldrich bill. "We will hold a caucus about next Wednesday night on that question," he said.

President Roosevelt will give a special reception to a party of seventy Japanese tourists at the White House Saturday evening. The party includes a number of prominent Japanese business men, scientists and statesmen. One of the party is Madame Nomura, wife of the leading jeweler of Japan. Madame Nomura will be the guest of Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, while she is in Washington. When Mrs. Longworth, then Alice Roosevelt, was in Japan, she met Mme. Nomura, and a warm friendship grew up between them.

In addition to sending to Congress a special message in opposition to the granting of water rights to corporations unless they are willing to pay for them and accept the charter for a limited term, President Roosevelt has written a letter to Senator Frey, chairman of the Senate committee on commerce, on the same subject, declaring that he will veto any bills hereafter which do not specifically provide for these things.

Thomas McCreary, the horse trainer, passed a good night and his condition was improved this morning.

George R. Rowan, aged 81 years, a messenger in the Adjutant Generals Division of the War Department was stricken with apoplexy while on duty today at noon and died in a few minutes.

The fisheries treaty with Great Britain recently negotiated by Ambassador Bryce and Secretary Root was today ordered reported favorably by the Senate committee on foreign relations.

It is quite likely that this session of Congress will be allowed to come to a close without the authorization of any steps to be taken to bring President Castro, of Venezuela, to terms.

"Conditions will never exist that would warrant this country using such an infernal thing that deserves the name 'emergency currency,'" exclaimed J. B. Forran, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, and spokesman of the currency commission of the American Bankers' Association, in addressing the House committee on banking and currency today. For the bankers, he asked that a commission be authorized to report to the next session of Congress on currency legislation, and that the Aldrich bill be defeated this session at all hazards.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, April 15.

SENATE.

The Senate today agreed, without objection, to the measure adopted by the House providing against gambling on horse races in the District of Columbia, with an amendment prohibiting boat races or races of any kind or betting on elections or football games.

An ironclad vagrant bill for the District of Columbia was passed by the Senate this afternoon. It covers idle persons, beggars and persons able to work who live in idleness upon the wages or earnings of their mother, wife or minor child, among other classes.

The Senate by a vote of 33 to 18 passed a bill appropriating $10,000,000 for the purchase of the ground south of Pennsylvania avenue and extending from Third to Fifteenth street.

HOUSE.

Today's House debate on the battleship programme was opened by Mr. Burton, of Ohio.

"We are face to face today with the question of whether we shall depart from our traditional, time-honored course of peace held over 100 years" said he, and the House realized at once that he was primed to reply to the special message of the president.

"Shall we take up a course signifying ambition and empire?" he asked. "Certainly to adopt the proposed big naval programme would mean to depart from the path of the peace-maker. For us to pretend otherwise, would be to have our friends say 'we dream' and those unfriendly that it was but a 'specious attempt.'

"We cannot be compared with China," said he in relying to a paragraph of the president's message. "We are in a different class."

To the reference of the United States being called upon to defend the Jews and others oppressed in foreign lands, Burton exclaimed: "If we are to take up the sword with all Europe, our naval programme today should be for fifty battleships, not four."

Roars of applause greeted Mr. Burton when he had concluded.

Mr. Cockran followed. He said he agreed with Mr. Burton in the principles he announced, but when the commander-in-chief recommended something for the national defense, it was the duty of Congress to remember its duty to uphold the hands of the president. He then pictured what would happen in case of trouble with Japan.

Mr. Rainey replied to Mr. Cockran by reading from Cockran's speech two years ago in opposition to the appropriation for one battleship.

Mr. Williams roasted his "followers," Hobson and Cockran, saying: "God never made a perfect eye—one to suit an eye specialist—and he never will make a perfect navy to suit a young enthusiastic retired navy lieutenant."

News of the Day.

The battleship fleet arrived at San Diego, yesterday, and was enthusiastically welcomed.

The situation in the Chester, Pa., trolley strike remains unchanged today. No cars are running in the city.

Mrs. Laurene Boreman, widow of A. Boreman, first governor of West Virginia and later United States Senator, died at Parkersburg, W. Va., early today, aged 77.

Superintendent of Streets George F. Birge, of Northampton, Mass., was shot and killed today by John Tracy, who applied for work and was refused. Tracy then shot himself.

Three more bodies found this afternoon in the still smoking ruins of Chelsea, Mass., bring the number of known dead in that conflagration up to six. They are charred almost beyond recognition. Two apparently are women. The third is that of an infant.

Mr. Bourke Cockran has introduced a bill in the House for a giant auto highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific oceans. His measure proposes to have constructed a roadway 1,430 feet wide for autos, roller skaters, bicyclers, pedestrians, etc.

Herman Ridder, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, at the Reform Club's dinner, in New York, yesterday, declared that the manufacturers of wood pulp have violated the law and the order of the government and can show no good reason for increasing the price of paper.

The commission wagon drivers, union of Chicago, will meet the joint council of the teamsters' union today to arrange a date for a strike. A teamsters strike is unavoidable, it is declared by the drivers and today's meeting was hastily called. The strike will be the outcome of a demand for increased pay.

Despite the written declaration of Judge George Gray that he could not under any circumstances consent to have the delegates instructed for him, the Deleware democratic State convention yesterday officially placed his name before the democracy of the country for that party's nomination for president of the United States.

The Office of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture has recently been conducting a series of very interesting experiments to learn the amount of damage done to the rock surface throughfares by automobiles. The results prove that the modern fast moving motor car is the greatest menace to macadam roads that has ever made its appearance.

A stubborn fire in the canning works of the Standard Oil Company in Long Island City, N. Y., destroyed that building, damaged the adjoining paint works of James O. Newcomb and spread to a dozen oil tanks. For a time the whole plant of the Standard Oil Company was threatened, but the firemen finally conquered the flames. The loss will run into the thousands.

Bombarded with lemons and hooted by a crowd who added to their noises with cowbells, Gov. Hoke Smith, was prevented from speaking at Marietta, Ga., yesterday, in support of his candidacy for a second term. This is the home of Joseph M. Brown, who is a candidate in opposition to Gov. Smith, and the rough house for the governor was created by Brown's supporters, the latter's son taking a leading part in the disturbance. When Gov. Smith took office he discharged Brown from the railroad commission, alleging that Brown was dominated by the railroads. Now Brown has announced himself a candidate for governor, and there is much personal bitterness in the contest.

A dispatch from Philadelphia says: Back of the marriage of Miss Ada H. Pratt, of 1437 Irving street, Washington, to B. Franklin Hoover, of Philadelphia, last Saturday, lies a story of unusual romance and interest. Miss Pratt lived until she was twenty-nine years old without forming the acquaintance of a man. She was born and raised in a community of women taught to believe that marriage was a sin. She was bound by teaching and belief always to remain single. Then she married the first man to whom she ever had been introduced. More than that, she did more than half the courting.

In the Senate yesterday the confusion and demonstration following Senator Foraker's speech cut short the reading of the president's message urging four battleships, and to prevent a continuation of the demonstration an adjournment was hastily taken. The day was spent in the House on the consideration of the naval appropriation bill. The battleship proposition was not reached. The president's message was received and read at the close of the day.

Marion Gray, the "affinity" broker, convicted of using the mails to defraud by conducting a matrimonial bureau at Elgin, Illinois, was sentenced by Judge Landis, in Chicago, today, to one year in the House of Correction.

OPPOSING THE PRESIDENT.

On behalf of the leaders of the House, Representative Watson, of Indiana, the republican whip, last night held conference with President Roosevelt. It is understood that Mr. Watson indicated that the leaders of the House, during the remaining days of the session, would not consent to the passage of any important legislation aside from the currency bill and the regular supply measures.

The leaders, it is stated through Mr. Watson, informed the president that Congress would not agree to appropriations for more than two battle ships. Also, that no action would be taken at this time on the civic federation bill proposing important amendments to the Sherman anti-trust act. In a word, the republican leaders gave the president to understand that they would not submit to executive interference to matters of legislation. Senator Hale, chairman of the committee on naval affairs, gave out yesterday afternoon a brief interview a propos of the President's reiterated recommendation for four battle ships.

"The naval committee will make provision in the naval bill for only two battle ships," he said. "That number is sufficient, and there is a possibility that only one may be provided for before the bill is finally passed. There is a strong sentiment at both ends of the Capitol in favor of only one ship, although, as I said before, appropriation will probably be made for two, but no more."

Another informal poll of the House was completed yesterday afternoon, and the figures show that the two-battle ship provision in the naval bill will carry by a comfortable majority.

Virginia News.

The Virginia State Sunday school convention is in session at Roanoke.

In the Richmond primaries yesterday Judge D. C. Richardson won the nomination for mayor over Mayor McCarthy by 374 majority.

W. A. Potter, of Northumberland county, was drowned Saturday night at Kilmarnock wharf. It is supposed he walked overboard in the darkness.

The members of Fredericksburg Lodge of Masons are planning to erect a fitting memorial to Washington in that city and next week will hold a carnival in aid of the movement.

Several hundred cords of excelsior wood stacked for shipment, on two hundred acres of fine timber land was destroyed by fire Monday near Brock road, Spottsylvania county.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to George H. Evans and Stella W. Reed, of Leesburg, and to Walter L. Beckham and Alma G. Bryant, both of Gordonsville.

W. E. Merrill, of Richmond, who was convicted last week in the Circuit Court of Spottsylvania county, and sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary for assaulting a young girl, was refused a new trial yesterday by Judge Mason, and was remanded to jail at Spottsylvania Court House, to await the action of the Court of Appeals.

Walter Miller was shot and instantly killed on the street in Staunton last night and the authorities are looking for Ashby Rhodes, who disappeared after the shooting. Miller was standing in front of a house where lives a woman both men had been attentive to, and the shooting, it is believed, was prompted by jealousy. Miller had a wife and children.

Cecil Dunsmore, the nineteen-year-old son of Professor J. B. Dunsmore, head of the Dunsmore Business College, was run over by a Chesapeake and Ohio train at Staunton yesterday and died within a few hours. It is said that the young man had been drinking and was in the Chesapeake and Ohio yards wandering about when the west bound express struck him. Both legs were cut off, and he was otherwise injured.

The State Corporation Commission in Richmond yesterday afternoon directed H. B. Budar, expert accountant, to proceed at once to Boydton and Chase City, and make an investigation into the affairs of the Bank of Mecklenburg, which yesterday morning voluntarily closed its doors. The Bank of Mecklenburg is located at Boydton, with a branch office at Chase City. It is presumed that the bankruptcy proceedings against the East Coast Lumber Company has caused the embarrassment of the bank.

The bitter feeling which has existed for several months past between the two factions in the Harrison Street Baptist Church, colored, in Petersburg culminated last night in another fight in the church. During the melee, Rev. Eli Taft, a former pastor of the church, and Deacon Pleasant Webb were both painfully injured by blows inflicted on the head with sticks. The police were called upon to quell the disturbance and a delegation from the fire department was sent to the scene with hose to dispoese the crowd, if necessary with streams of water. There have been several previous fights in this church.

Reception at San Diego.

San Diego, Cal., April 15.—Thousands of men, women and children, many of whom had spent almost the entire night on the streets celebrating the arrival of the American fleet in home waters, flocked to the Coronado shore before daylight today to greet the first sailors ashore. Today is the great public day of the reception to the men of the fleet. The principal event is the grand parade, which is scheduled to start at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Five thousand officers, sailors and marines will come from the ships to take part in the procession. They will be accompanied in line by twice as many citizens, school children and uniformed bodies. After passing through the city the throng will assemble at City Park where Director General Clayton will extend to the visitors a welcome on behalf of San Diego and southern California. Later there will be a wild west show. Tonight a grand ball will be tendered the men of the fleet at the Hotel Del Coronado. The reception festivities will continue tomorrow and Friday. The fleet will get under way at 6 o'clock Saturday morning for San Pedro.

Killed By Moros.

Manila, April 15.—Two members of the constabulary were killed and three soldiers wounded in a fight of the constabulary and regulars with Moro outlaws in the Island of Mindanao, according to messages received here. The news comes in a private dispatch and has not yet been confirmed, however. The battle is reported to have taken place near the town of Lanao. A column composed of constabulary and a battalion of artillery, had been following a band of outlaws for some time. It is supposed here that the soldiers overtook the Moros and engaged them. No mention of the casualties among the outlaws is made in the message received.

Miraculous Escape from Death.

Chicago, April, 15—Dominick Wentweur was slumbering in his room on the third floor of a building in Grand avenue. Visions troubled his slumbers. He dreamed that it was time to arise and go forth with his peddler's cart. The dream trouble Dominick so that he arose, went to the window and dropped three stories to the sidewalk below. He awoke with a start. It was 3 o'clock in the morning. Dominick rubbed his sleepy eyes, gazed about him, noted the time, then climbed the stairway back to bed again—unhurt.

BASEBALL.

Yesterday's baseball results:

American League—Boston, 3; Washington, 1. New York, 1; Philadelphia, 0. St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 1. Chicago, 15; Detroit, 8.

National League—Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 5. New York, 3; Philadelphia, 1. Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 3. St. Louis-Pittsburg, rain.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear son, ALBERT E. LAYCOCK, who entered into rest one year ago today.

Thirteen years of sore affliction,
Ministered to by loving hands;
Eternal years of peace and gladness,
Rejoicing with the angel bands.
A light from our household is gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
But there is yet an aching void
Which never can be filled.

BY HIS MOTHER AND FATHER.

City Council.

There was an hour and a half session of the City Council last night. Most of the business transacted was of a routine nature.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Mr. Field, from the committee on general laws, reported in favor of appropriating $200 to employ counsel to assist the Corporation Attorney in defending the injunction proceedings now pending in the Circuit Court for the city in the matter concerning the action of the city in attempting to compel the Washington-Southern Railway Company to remove the tracks from Henry street. Mr. Field explained the object in view, which was to determine the right of the city to proceed in such cases and to establish its power over streets.

Mr. Sweeney was averse to making the appropriation. He said people living on Henry street urged the city to take action concerning the removal of the tracks, saying they merely desired Council to take the initiative and that they would come together and follow it up. These people, however, had failed to follow it up, and the speaker was opposed to embarking upon a suit which he was sure would prove expensive, even if the city succeeded in dissolving the injunction, as the railway company would certainely take an appeal. Two hundred dollars would be but a drop in the bucket in order to follow up the case. He would favor the adoption of the report were he convinced that this sum would cover the expense.

Mr. Marbury spoke on similar lines. People living on Henry street, he said, had offered to follow up the suit, but later backed out. This was no time for the city to embark in an expensive law suit.

Mr. Ballenger said he had opposed the movement against the railway company at first, but, if the Corporation Attorney wanted the assistance of other counsel, now that the matter had been brought to an issue, he would vote for the appropriation of $200. He, however, would go no further. He wanted the track to remain.

Mr. Field said the case involved points concerning the city's rights which should be settled.

Mr. Sweeney reiterated his conviction concerning the matter. If this appropriation were made the city would have to follow the case up, which would call for additional expenditures.

After some further debate the report was laid over.

President Curtin presented a petition of Rev. W. F. Fisher for permission to place a tablet in front of the station house, which now stands where the jail once stood in which Rev. Jeremiah Moore, a Baptist minister, was confined in colonial days for preaching without a license.

President Curtin explained that the object of Rev. Dr. Fisher and the First Baptist Church of this city was to mark the spot where the pioneer of the Baptist Church had suffered imprisonment.

Mr. Ballenger opposed granting the petition. He said it would be establishing a precedent for marking spots where others had been placed in jail for breaking laws.

Other members of the board saw no objection to granting the petition provided the tablet was placed in position under the supervision of the City Engineer.

The petition was finally granted, all the Alderman voting aye except Mr. Ballenger.

Mr. Sweeney presented an ordinance to provide for the issue of $750,000 of registered or coupon bonds for the purpose of refunding or redeeming the outstanding bonds of the city dated July 1, 1879. He asked that the ordinance be referred to the finance committee. This was done.

Mr. Sweeney also introduced a resolution providing that when Council adjourned it to be meet again on Tuesday, April 21, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock, which was adopted.

After transacting some routine business the Aldermen concurred in the action of the Common Council on certain papers which had been sent in and subsequently adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

There was quite a spirited session of this board last night, many reports calling forth debate.

A resolution appropriating $2,000 for improving Fayette street, the material to be furnished by the Washington-Southern Railway Company, which was laid over at the last meeting, was passed.

The finance committee, reported on a communication from the Auditor calling attention to a deficiency of $2,750 in the annual appropriation bill and recommended its appropriation. The report was adopted.

Mr. Marshall, from the joint committee on finance, general laws, and public property, submitted a report in favor of the disposal of the old Hydraulion Engine House on north Royal street. He stated that he had received three bids and that the one offered by Mr. Wilbert C. Baggett of $624 the committee thought the best—both financially and as a matter of improvement. He said that in answer to the advertisement of the sale of the property, he had received several other offers, but they ranged around $450.

The Chair asked the chairman of the committee on public property if it was in order for the matter to be settled tonight.

Mr. Marshall said that the Corporation Attorney said it was—and in fact, it was the said officer who had drawn up the resolution. He also said that if Mr. Baggett secured the property he intended to improve it with a cold storage house which would be an ornament to the city.

Mr. Strauss fully concurred in the report of the joint committee and hoped the property would be sold, but he wanted to know what disposition would be made of the money received from said sale; it should go to the sinking fund.

The Chair informed Mr. Strauss that that was a matter for future consideration.

The report of the committees was adopted—ayes 15, noes 0.

A petition was received from Louis Theokletes asking permission to hang an overhead sign on King street, and after some argument it was referred to the committee on street.

Petition of Mrs. Amy C. Weech and Richard Dogan to lower the curb of the alley between the property owned by them, on south Fairfax street was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition of property owners to lay a gutter on Oronoco street between Fayette and Patrick, was referred to the committee on streets.

In this connection Mr. Harrison spoke of the condition of said street and expressed the hope that the committee would act immediately.

A petition to erect a 9 inch wall for the second story of a building now in course of erection on south Royal street was granted Mr. Robinson Moncure.

A bill from the Board of Health for $22.50 for pay of a man for watching a house on south Washington street, which had been quarantined, was referred to the finance committee.

The resolution authorizing the refunding of $745,000 of coupon bonds, the city's bonded debt, was referred to the finance committee and a resolution was adopted for a special meeting of Council Tuesday, April 21.

A request of Mr. Lloyd E. Spittle to erect two six room frame houses on the north side of Duke street near the corner of Patrick, was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition of C. E. Roberts asking permission to extend a bay window 10 inches beyond the building line to his premises 503 Queen street, which had been granted by the Aldermen was referred to the committee on streets after a heated debate.

Mr. Leadbeater was opposed to granting such permission without reference to the proper committees.

Mr. Spinks said he did not know who presented the request and did not care. What he would say was in reference to measures—not men. He spoke of the erection of an air shaft in the Fairfax Apartments without permission and said that nothing was known of it until the work had been done. He took occasion to say that the methods used by the assistant of the chief engineer were wrong—that his helpmate went around the town with gum shoes on and a revolver in his hip pocket; he also said that the assistant had waded in manure up to his ankles in order to find a plank off some one's fence; that under this assistant's ruling a man could not take an old plank out of his house and put a new one in.

He spoke of the police force, which he characterized as a chaotic mass—without head or responsibility. The officers would not report anything for, if they did, they stood a good chance of being insulted, especially in the offices in the City Hall. He also wanted to known who employed these gum shoe artists. He further stated that there was more expense inside the office of the City Engineer than there was outside, and no matter when one called, there were three or four of these same fellows there.

He cited the seeming indifference to the building laws when the matter of a large building, in which there was much money interested, was in course of erection, and the red tape attached to the same laws when a poor man, with all he had invested in a frame house, wanted to improve same. He again said the methods employed were wrong.

Mr. Brill and Mr. Monroe favored the granting of Mr. Roberts' petition as did also Mr. Birrell, who spoke of the condition the building would be left in if the petition was not granted.

Mr. Leadbeater still insisted that such matters should take proper course otherwise there would be many openings for violations of the building regulations.

Mr. Spinks asked Mr. Leadbeater if he did not know that the erection of the air shaft on the building in which he was interested was a violation of building regulations.

Mr. Leadbeater replied that he had mentioned the matter in council at the time and was not in favor of such procedure, but he wanted it understood that he was only owner of said building to the extent of one-one-hundredth part and that such interest had not influenced him in his action as a councilman.

Mr. Spinks said he did not mean his remarks as an attack on the chairman of the committee on streets, but he wanted to show the methods employed.

Mr. Evans wanted to know why it was useless for the police to report violations of the law and what was the remedy.

Mr. Spinks—A Lexow committee should be appointed to investigate.

The Chair said he did not know the gentleman who presented the petition for improvements, but he thought it ought to go to the proper committee; it was a matter in conflict with existing laws and a change of the law would require a three-fourths vote on the night of its introduction.

Mr. Burke was in favor of the petition going to the street committee; the general law on the subject was a protection to small property owners.

Mr. Uhler said that when Mr. Roberts had asked permission at a previous meeting to improve his property he only wanted to extend his building over the alleyway and no reference was made to a bay window. He, too, was in favor of the matter being referred to the committee on streets.

The first motion to nonconcur with the Aldermen and refer the matter to the street committee was lost—Ayes, 7; noes 8.

A motion to concur with the Aldermen was also lost. The matter was finally referred to the street committee after a tangle.

Mr. Evans called attention to the condition of an iron pipe at the intersection of Gibbon and Patrick streets.

The Chair expressed the hope that the committee on streets would take the matter up as soon as possible.

Mr. Birrell said he had intended to introduce a resolution prohibiting any but residents for bidding on city work, but had found this to be unconstitutional. A correspondent had made it appear that he was after members of Council but he wanted it understood that he intended no reflection on any present member of Council, as he knew of no one contracting for city work.

A request was received from the pastor of the First Baptist Church for permission to place a tablet in front of the police headquarters, where the old jail once stood, in memory of Rev. Jeremiah Moore, who was incarcerated in the old building for preaching the gospel without license. The matter went over.

During a recess Mr. Hellmuth said he had left at home the ordinance to abolish the salary of the mayor, which had been handed to him for introduction, but that he might bring it with him at the next meeting.

Nothing further claiming the attention of Council the body adjourned.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Rodine, Ga. Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held April 14, 1908, there were present:

J. R. N. Curtin, esq., President, and Messrs. Brill, Marbury, Ballenger, Field, Sweeney and Summers.

Mr. Field, from the Committee on General Laws, reported in favor of appropriating $200 to employ counsel to assist the Corporation Attorney in defending the suit now pending in the Circuit Court concerning the right of the City Council to require the Washington-Southern Railway Company to remove its tracks on Henry street. The report was laid over.

Mr. Summers presented a petition of Lloyd E. Spittle for permission to erect two 6-room frame houses on the north side of Duke street near Patrick, which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of $750,000 of registered or coupon bonds of the city of Alexandria for the purpose of refunding or redeeming the outstanding bonds of the city of Alexandria issued and dated July 1, 1879, was presented by Mr. Sweeney and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ballenger presented a petition of C. E. Roberts for permission to extend the second-story bay window to house No. 503 Queen street, which was granted, provided there is no objection on the part of adjoining property owners. The Common Council returned the petition, that board having nonconcurred in the action of the Aldermen and referred the petition to the Committee on Streets. The Aldermen reconsidered its action and concurred in that of the Common Council.

Mr. Sweeney explained the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, that when Council adjourns it be to meet on Tuesday, April 21, 1908, at 7.30 p. m.

A bill of John W. Sutton, $22.50, for services as watchman of a quarantined house, was referred to the Finance Committee.

A report of the Finance Committee, recommending the sale of the old Hydraulion engine house, on north Royal street, to Wilbert C. Baggett for $624, he having been the highest bidder, was received from the Common Council and passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs. Brill, Marbury, Ballenger, Field, Sweeney, Summers and Mr. President—7. Noes, none.

The President submitted a petition of Dr. W. F. Fisher for permission to place a tablet on the front of the station house, as that structure is located upon the spot where the old jail stood and where Rev. Jeramiah Moore was imprisoned for preaching the gospel. The petition was granted, provided the tablet is placed in position under the supervision of the City Engineer.

The report of the Committee on Streets recommending an appropriation of $3,000 for the improvements of Fayette street, from Duke to Princess, was received from the Common Council and laid over.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous votes:

Petitions of Louis Theokletes and S. Priorolos to place an overhead sign in front of their place of business.

Petition of sundry persons to have the curb lowered in front of the alley on the east side of Fairfax street, between Wolfe and Wilkes.

Petition of sundry persons to place a gutter on Oronoco street, between Henry and Patrick.

Petition of Robinson Monsure for permission to use nine inch walls in the construction of a new office building on Royal street, between King and Prince.

The board then adjourned.

J. R. N. CURTIN, President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held April 14th, 1908, there were present: Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Brasher, Brill, Baader, Birrell, Monroe, Hellmuth, Harrison, Uhler, Marshall, Spinks and Evans.

A report of the Committee on Streets recommending an appropriation of $200 for repairing Fayette street, from Duke to Princess street, which was laid over at the last meeting under the rules, was called from the table and passed—ayes, 15; noes, 0.

A report from the Finance Committee recommending additional appropriations for repairs to streets $300, streets and sewers $800, chain gang $258, fire department $1,200, fire plugs $150, election expenses $150, Total $2,750, which passed the Board of Aldermen March 10, 1908, was called from the table and passed—ayes, 15; noes, 0.

The joint Committee on Public Property Finance and General Laws, to whom was referred the resolution for the sale of the old Hydraulion engine house, reported recommending the acceptance of the bid submitted by Mr. Wilbert C. Baggett and that the Corporation Attorney be directed to prepare a deed conveying said property to Mr. Baggett, upon the payment of $624, and the report was adopted—ayes, 15; noes, 0.

Permission was granted Mr. Robinson Moncure to erect walls of the thickness of 9 inches on the 2nd and 3rd story of building now being erected at 121 south Royal street.

A petition from Robert Taylor and others for new gutters on Oronoco street, between Henry and Patrick streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from Mrs. Amy C. Weech and Richard Dogan for lowering the curb stone in front of alley between 506 and 508 south Fairfax street, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition to erect a hanging over head sign at lunch room on King street, south side, between Fairfax and Royal streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of seven hundred and forty-five thousand dollars of registered coupon bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding bonds of July 1st, 1879, was received from the Board of Aldermen and laid over.

A resolution that when Council adjourns it be to meet again on Tuesday night, April 21, was received from the Board of Aldermen and adopted.

A bill of John W. Sutton for services rendered Board of Health, $22.50, was received from the Board of Aldermen and referred to the Committee on Finance.

A petition from Lloyd E. Spittle, to erect two frame houses on the north side of Duke street, near Patrick street, was received from the Board of Aldermen and referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from C. E. Roberts to extend second story bay window 10 inches over the building line at No. 508 Queen street, was received from the Board of Aldermen. A motion by Mr. Leadbeater to nonconcur in the action of the Board of Aldermen and refer the matter to the Committee on Streets, was lost—ayes, Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Monroe, Uhler, Evans and Mr. President, (7). Noes—Messrs Strauss, Brill, Baader, Birrell, Hellmuth, Harrison, Marshall and Spinks, (8). Mr. Monroe moved to concur in the action of the Board of Aldermen in granting the petition, which was lost—ayes, Messrs. Strauss, Brill, Baader, Birrell, Monroe, Hellmuth, Harrison, Marshall and Spinks, (9). Noes—Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Risheill, Uhler, Evans and Mr. President, (6). Upon motion of Mr. Leadbeater the petition was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A petition from the First Baptist Church for privilege of placing a tablet on the front the station house wher the old jail once stood in which the Rev. Jeremiah Moore, who organized the First Baptist Church, was imprisoned for preaching the gospel, was received from the Board of Alderman and laid over.

The board then adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk, C. C.

New York Stock Market.

New York, April 15.—The feature of the market from the start was the absence of selling pressing; price movements were generally in the shape of moderate gains but the advances were made which were made were confined to small fractions.

During the latter part of the forenoon the market was dull and without much feature, the trading consisting chiefly of evening up of contracts. The fluctuations were unimportant.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LOCKE COAL COMPANY will be held at the office of Jas. E. and H. B. Caton, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on April 27th, 1908, at the hour of 12m. GEO. P. HAMLIN, Secretary.
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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APR. 15, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:23 and sets 6:38. High water at 7:39 a. m. and 7:59 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section rain tonight. Thursday fair colder; winds beginning northwesterly and increasing.

MORE PAY FOR SOLDIERS.

Capt. R. H. Atkinson, former commander of the Alexandria Light Infantry, has received a letter from Messrs. Cutchins & Cutchins, attorneys, of Richmond, in which they say:

Dear Sir: We have at last succeeded in recovering ration pay for the Virginia volunteers for the days they were in the the State service between the 25th day of April, 1898, and the time the State or the United States began to subsist the companies, less such sums as have been paid by the State or the United States to the captains of the several companies.

Herewith enclose a list of the men of your company who are entitled to money under this distribution.

The list contains only names of privates, as no pay for subsistence during the time specified was allowed officers.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

Among the prisoners before the Police Court this morning was a forlorn young woman who was charged with vagrancy and for begging on the streets. The woman lives in the western section of the city and is probably known to all people whose business or inclinations bring them on the streets. Scantily clad, in mid-wintry blasts or summer heat she slowly plods along the principal streets in order to attract the attention of the eleemosynary disposed. She repeats the statement that she is a victim of adverse fortune, and one needing immediate succor. But it is the old, old story. The woman is a victim of alcoholism, and, in one sense, deserves the commiseration of all who regret to see such shipwrecks. Justice Caton sent her to the work house for 30 days.

"OLIVET TO CALVARY."

An audience which crowded the edifice and which was thoroughly appreciative gathered at St. Paul's Church last night to hear the oratorio "Olivet to Calvary." This was admirably rendered by the choir of the church assisted by Mr. Kenneth Ogden, tenor, and Mr. J. Harris Franklin, baritone. Mr. Sherman B. Fowler was organist and director with Mr. S. Frank Field assistant director. The soloists were Mrs. Elizabeth De Dier, soprano; Miss Maud Harding, alto; Mr. E. H. Jones, tenor; Mr. Wilmer Waller, baritone, and Mr. Richard Wirt, bass. All who took part showed careful training and rendered their several parts in excellent manner. The oratorio was a success in every particular.

WANTS WIFE ARRESTED.

George W. Tyler, of Woodburn, D. C., came to this city today and upon visiting the clerk's office of the Corporation Court ascertained that eight months ago his wife, Rose Tyler, secured a license and was subsequently married to a man named James Hudson. Tyler later went to the station house where he swore out a warrant for the arrest of his wife on the charge of bigamy. The woman against whom the charge is made is now at Rockville, Md., where she has been placed in custody. Commonwealth's Attorney Brent today applied to Governor Swanson for a requisition for her.

FEAST OF PASSOVER.

At sundown tomorrow begins the Jewish festival of Passover, which continues for seven days with the Reformed Jews and eight days with the Orthodox. Services will be held in the synagogue on north Washington street at 7:30 o'clock, tonight.

The festival celebrates the deliverance of Israel's firstborn from the judgment wrought on the firstborn of the Egyptians and as well the liberation of the Jews from Egyptian bondage. During the week the conforming Jew does not touch leavened bread. Instead he uses matzoth. All leavened bread is chometz.

BROKE UP BANDY GAME.

Some of the contents of a wagon loaded with gravel fell out while the vehicle was passing up King street yesterday afternoon. Early last night a number of youngsters, armed with bandies, appeared between Pitt and St. Asaph streets, and like the jackass dancing among the ducks, were enjoying themselves, but keeping pedestrians dodging the stones and placing show windows in jeopardy when Officer Roberts suddenly appeared and brought the sport to an abrupt termination.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

An inquest was held at the morgue in Washington yesterday by Dr. Ramsay Nevitt, District coroner, to inquire into the causes of the death of Edward Bashford, formerly of this city, a lineman employed by the Potomac Electric Power Company, who lost his life last Sunday night by coming in contact with a live wire. The jury found that the death of Bashford was the result of an accident, and that his carelessness was contributory.

PEABODY BUILDING.

Only one bid for the purchase of the Peabody school building was received by the special committee of the School Board, authorized to advertise the property for sale. The bid was submitted by A. S. Doniphan and Milton Dana Morrill, who offered $13,000 for the property. It is understood that Messrs. Doniphan and Morrill will convert the building into an apartment house if their bid is accepted.

DIVORCE.

Pierce E. Harbin, an employe of the navy yard, was granted an absolute divorce yesterday from Ethel R. Harbin, by Chief Justice Clabaugh, of the District of Columbia Supreme Court. The couple were married in Alexandria in 1901. After living together six years, it is alleged, Mrs. Harbin became enamored of another man.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

We are brim full of spring novelties for man, woman and child. See our line of low shoes. J. A. Marshall & Bro 422 King street.

HANDSOME BANK BUILDING.

At the meeting of the directors of the First National Bank, today, plans and drawings of Messrs. Vogt & Morrill, architects, of Washington, for the new bank building were chosen over the other competitors. The building is to be erected on the north side of King street between Pitt and St. Asaph. It is to be a one story building for banking purposes only and will have a frontage of about 40 feet, with a depth of about 70. The front is to be of white marble and the building is to be equipped with every modern convenience. When completed it will be an ornament to the city. The specifications have not yet been drawn, but when they are they will be submitted to builders and it is proposed to have the building completed before the close of the year.

Mr. Milton Dana Morrill of the firm of architects whose plans were accepted is now a resident of this city, and his many friends will be pleased to hear of his success.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Sister Lee, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

Hugh Burke and William Craig, both colored, charged with fighting, were fined $5 each.

A young white man, charged with assault, was fined $5. Another man, charged with fighting, was dismissed.

Lula Massey, charged with vagrancy, was sent to the work house for 30 days.

Mary Williams, Alice Page, and Wm. Williams, all colored, charged with disorderly conduct were fined $5 each.

Bessie Brown, colored, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, was fined $10. Frances Bryant, colored, who had been arrested in connection with the case, was dismissed.

George Minor, colored, charged with disorderly conduct in the court room, was fined $10.

R. N. HARPER FINED.

Judge Kimball in the Washington Police Court this morning fined Mr. R. N. Harper, convicted of violating the provisions of the pure drug law, $750, but declined to impose a jail sentence, though urged to do so by District Attorney Baker at the instance of President Roosevelt.

RIVER NOTES.

The schooner Ella Hill, from Cofield, N. C., with lumber to H. K. Field & Co., has arrived.

The schooner L. E. Bramble is unloading lumber and wood at W. A. Smoot & Co.'s wharf.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Rain began to fall at an early hour this morning and other showers followed during the day.

There were no changes in conditions at Fishtown this morning. Prices were virtually unchanged.

Mr. Luther Carter has sold for George R. Smith, house and lot No. 1919 Duke street extended to Tobias Javins.

Mrs. George W. Petty, living at 418 Queen street, accidentally scalded herself at her home yesterday afternoon by the overturning of a kettle of hot water. Her injuries are not serious.

A meeting of the city democratic committee will be held at the Opera House Cafe tonight to complete plans for the primary which will be held next Tuesday. At tonight's meeting the assessments against the candidates must be paid.

A barroom which had been opened on Fishtown was closed by the police yesterday. The proprietor conducts a public house in this city, and he supposed he could, under his license, as others had done in the past, keep a bar on the fish wharf during the fishing season. The police ruled otherwise, however.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Perpetual Building Fund Association was held last night at which Mr Zoro Hill was re-elected president, Mr. J. Schneider secretary and treasurer, together with the old board of directors.

In the Corporation Court today in the case of Annie E. Webster, guardian, vs. W. P. Webster et al, a decree was entered confirming the sale of property made at auction to J. T. Harrison on March 28 and ordered a distribution of proceeds.

Mr. Herbert Frances, from his stand opposite the Gazette office, today sent to this office a dish of raw oysters—large and well flavored—which were greatly enjoyed.

Mr. B. B. Brown has been awarded the contract for enlarging the rear building of the Alexandria Hospital.

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Today's Telegraphic News.

New York Democrats.

New York, April 15.—Announcement was made at the headquarters of Wm. J. Conners, of the democratic state committee, this morning, that, in the interests of harmony, Chairman Conners had eliminated himself as one of the delegates at large to the Denver convention. The slate to be presented to the state convention was announced as follows:

Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany; Lewis Nixon, Judge Alton B. Parker and some German democrats. The name of Herman Ridder, editor of the N. Y. Staats Zeitung, was mentioned in this connection.

The alternate delegates-at-large decided on are: George H. Thatcher, of Albany; Francis Burton Harrison, New York; W. B. Kirk, of Syracuse; and James Swartzenbach, of Steuben county. Nathan Straus, of New York, it was announced, had been decided on as one of the presidential electors-at-large.

Charles Froeb, president of the Arion Society of Brooklyn, was announced just after noon by Chairman Conners as the fourth man on the slate of delegates at large to the Denver convention from New York.

New York, April 15.—The Bryan men who have been advocating the adoption by the State convention of a resolution favoring his candidacy surrendered today after their defeat before the resolutions committee. Augustus Thomas, a close friend of the Nebraskan, announced the surrender.

Mr. Thomas denied that the Bryan men had been induced to take this stand by receipt of messages from the Nebraskan. Despite his denial, however, there was a report about the hotel that Mr. Bryan has sent a message calling off his followers, and that in return Chairman Conners and Leader Murphy had promised that the unit rule would not be enforced against the New York delegation, allowing Bryan to get such votes as he controls.

Disastrous Floods.

Helena, Mont., April 15.—A disastrous flood threatens to engulf the towns of Cascade and Great Falls today. Millions of dollars' worth of property in both places is in danger, and the waters continue to rise. The waters of the Missouri river began to rise early yesterday with alarming rapidity. Despatches from Cascade today show that that there is no sign of subsidence, and that the big steel bridge at that point is doomed. The waters have spread over the territory and the surface of the floor is black with ranch houses, hay stacks and the bodies of cattle.

Other advices from Great Falls indicate that the situation is alarming at that point, and it is believed that nothing can prevent the waters from engulfing the lower regions of that town. Railroad tracks for miles about these two towns have been washed out.

Helena, Mont., Apr. 15.—As a result of the break of the hawser dam in the Missouri river yesterday an uncontrollable flood is rapidly advancing upon Great Falls, a city of 16,000. It is believed that the Boston and Montana smelter, one of the largest in the world, is doomed. The smelter is built on the river bank and employs more than 1,500 men. These men were kept at work all night constructing a wall around the smelter in the hope of saving it. Preparations have been also made so that the dam at Great Falls from which the smelter receives its power may be dynamited as a last resource. The little town of Craig has probably been wiped off the map although as far as is known all of the four hundred inhabitants escaped.

Rebelling Against Japan.

Tokio, April 15.—That Korea is in a state of rebellion against Japanese rule is admitted in government circles, following the gradual leaking of news through Chinese sources. The Mikado's military force in the country is being rapidly strengthened, however, and neither money nor life is being spared in the effort to restore order. Seoul and the other important cities are well in hand but their suburbs are subject to constant raids by Korean outlaws and natives are permitted neither to enter nor leave the cities after night.

Latest stories that the Japanese military authorities have resorted to shocking cruelties against the natives of the outlying districts is emphatically denied, though it is confessed that there have been many recent instances in which the troops from Nippon have been forced to resort to steel and lead to put down uprising or overawe rebellious districts.

On the other hand it is pointed out that lone Japanese dare not venture outside the coast cities and that even strong military parties are frequently cut off but a short distance in the interior and sometimes completely annihilated.

The censorship prevents but the merest suggestion of the real condition from reaching the outside world.

Will Antagonize Mr. Bryan.

Chicago, April 15.—Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, has issued fair notice to William J. Bryan to buckle on his armor, for there is going to be a real hard fight from now until the convention at Denver is over. Friends of Governor Johnson showed him a statement issued from the Bryan Press Bureau in Washington, D. C., which declared that Johnson's entrance into the presidential race was an impertinence. "I don't think my candidacy can be called an impertinence," said the Governor. "It is not of my seeking, but now that I am in it I am going to make a determined but nevertheless a dignified fight. I did not become a candidate until friends and democrats throughout the country insisted that I should, but now that I am in I am not going to run away."

New Catholic Marriage Laws.

Rome, April 15.—Catholic sweethearts must announce their engagements in writing after next Sunday. Catholic marriages by Protestant clergymen or magistrates will be invalid. Such marriages have always been punishable, but the church considered them binding. They are not even that under the new Catholic law.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar9 tf

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

The Market.

Georgetown D. C., April 15.—Wheat 81-95

Suicide of a Boy.

Mount Vernon, O., April 15.—The parents of Clifford Vernon, aged 10, are making vain efforts today to discover a reason for the lad's suicide last night. He asked his father to buy him a strap yesterday, saying that he wanted to make a halter for a pet colt. Two hours later the body was found dangling from a rafter in the sheep shed. He had hanged himself with the strap. The lad's cousin, several years older, committed suicide several weeks ago.

Charged With Stealing Letters.

Paris, April 15.—Mrs Hart McKee was accussed in court today of having caused the theft of a batch of damaging letters bearing her signature from her husband's room in the Hotel Castiollon. Maitre Leori, who made the charge, admitted that the letters' disappearance had crippled McKee in fighting his wife's petition for a divorce and in supporting his counter-demand for a decree.

Embezzler Drops Dead.

Philadelphia, April 15.—Herbert L. Heyl, assistant treasurer-actuary of the Franklyn Institute, who recently severed his connection with the concern, dropped dead in his home today a few minutes after he had been placed under arrest charged with embezzlement of $12,000 of the Institute's funds. Old circumstances surrounds his death who had been enjoying good health.

Plans are on foot to have a new Atlantic fleet visit the principal European ports in the late summer.

Wholesale Prices of Produce

Flour Extra	4 00 a 4 25
Family	5 10 a 5 25
Fancy brands	5 50 a 5 75
Wheat, longberry	0 93 a 95
Mixed	0 88 a (9)
Fultz	0 88 a 0 90
Damp and tough	0 80 a 0 85
New Cob Corn, per bbl	3 00 a 3 75
Corn, white	0 73 a 0 75
Mixed	0 70 a 0 73
Yellow	0 70 a 0 73
Corn Meal	0 75 a 0 80
Rye	0 00 a 0 80
Oats, mixed, new	0 66 a 0 00
White, new	0 63 a 0 65
Elgin Print Butter	0 32 a 0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18 a 0 20
Choice Virginia	0 23 a 0 26
Common to middling	0 14 a 0 16
Eggs	0 14½ a 0 15
Live Chickens (hens)	0 11 a 0 12
Spring Chickens	0 14 a 0 15
Dressed Hogs	0 6 a 0 7
Potatoes, per bu	0 80 a 0 85
Sweet Potatoes (barrel)	2 80 a 3 00
Yams	1 00 a 1 25
Onions, per bushel	1 10 a 1 20
Dried Cherries	0 12 a 0 14
Dried Apples	0 04½ a 0 06
Apples, per bbl	3 00 a 3 50
Dried Peaches, peated	0 10½ a 0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50 a 8 50
Bacon, country hams	0 12 a 0 12½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 12½ a 0 13
Breakfast Bacon	0 12 a 0 12½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10 a 0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 07½ a 0 08
Dry Salt sides	0 08½ a 0 08½
Fat backs	0 07½ a 0 07½
Bellies	0 8½ a 0 08½
Sugars—Brown	4 74 a 4 88
Off A	5 05 a 5 10
Conf. standard	5 00 a 5 00
Granulated	5 40 a 5 70
Coffees—Rio	0 10½ a 0 14
LaGuayra	0 15 a 0 16
Java	0 18 a 0 26
Molasses B. S.	0 9 a 0 14
C. B	0 17 a 0 22
New Orleans	0 20 a 0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16 a 0 28
Porto Rico	0 18 a 0 35
Salt—G. A	0 60 a 0 62
Fine	0 82 a 1 20
Turk's Island	1 00 a 1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28 a 0 29
Washed	0 28 a 0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28 a 0 29
Do. washed	0 28 a 0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75 a 7 50
Potomac No 1	3 50 a 4 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring	4 25 a 4 50
Potomac family roe	4 50 a 5 00
Do. half barrel	2 25 a 3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bbl	a 7 50
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00 a 14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00 a 14 50
No. 2	15 00 a 16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50 a 5 00
Ground in bags	5 00 a 5 50
Lump	3 50 a 3 75
Clover Seed	6 50 a 7 50
Timothy	2 25 a 3 0
Hay	19 00 a 20 00

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I RESPECTFULLY announce myself as candidate for the Common Council from Second ward, in the democratic primary of April 21st. CARROLL H. MAY. apr6 td*

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the PNEUMATIC TOBACCO STEMMER COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, the 24th day of April, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and for the transaction of all business which may properly come before the meeting.

L. P. WHITAKER, Secretary.

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TO the stockholders of the MASSACHUSETTS BREWERIES COMPANY. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the by-laws of the company, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the MASSACHUSETTS BREWERIES COMPANY will be held at ten o'clock in the forenoon on MONDAY, April 27th, 1908, at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1. To select a board of nine directors of the company.

2. To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

apr8,15 EDWARD RUHL, Secretary

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APR. 15, 1908.

CHRISTIANS DISCHARGED.

General Superintendent C. B. Weaver, who has charge of the construction work of the new Young Men's Christian Association building at Los Angeles, Cal., has discharged all the christians. He declares that non-christians do 25 per cent more work than the church members. "There's not a christian on the job as far as I know," said Weaver yesterday. "When I began I had some christians, but they did not deliver the goods. I fired 'em. They thought because they belonged to the church they should get the soft end of everything. I've hired fellows who make no profession and I'm getting twice as much work out of them." Members of the Young Men's Christian Association are greatly disturbed because of the attitude of Weaver. They declare they will take steps to see that christians are at least put on an equal footing with non-Christians.

THREAD BACK TO OLD PRICE.

Thread, which during the era of high prices went up to eight cents a spool, with a promise of ten, is back again at five as a result of the industrial dullness. It may come even lower. To offset the cut in prices the thread trust reduced the yardage of some of the coarser grades, known as Nos. 8 to 20, from 200 yards a spool to 150 yards.

The thread trade expects that the demand will strengthen about the middle of April, when the makers of ready made men's and women's clothing will begin work on fall goods.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Spring and Summer Jewelry.

All of the newest fads and fancies in jewelry for Spring and Summer of 1908 are now to be found in our stock.

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AUCTION SALE

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, entered on the 22nd day of January, 1907, in the suit depending in the said court, between Martha A. O'Brien and others, plaintiffs, and Luther Harrison Kell and others, defendants, the undersigned commissioner, appointed by the said court, will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY, May 5th, 1908,

at 12 o'clock m, the following real estate in said city:

No. 1. House and lot No. 115 King street, beginning at a point on north side of King street 90 feet east of Lee street; thence east on King street 30 feet; thence north 81 feet more or less to Fayette alley; thence west on said alley 30 feet, and thence south to the beginning on King street with appurtenances. Deed book No. 1, page 30.

No. 2. Lot on north side of Fayette alley, beginning 30 feet east of Lee street; thence east on said alley 90 feet; thence north 65 feet 7 inches, more or less, thence west 90 feet, and thence south to the point of beginning on said alley and appurtenances. Deed book W. No. 3, P. 143.

No 3. House and lot at the southeast intersection of Fairfax and Queen streets, beginning at said intersection and running thence south with east side of Fairfax street 55 feet 6 inches; thence east 90 feet; thence south 27 feet 9 inches; thence east 12 feet 4 inches; thence north 83 feet 3 inches, and thence west on Queen street to the point of beginning and appurtenances. Deed book P No. 3, P. 112.

Terms of sale—One-third of the purchase money cash, and the residue thereof in two equal payments at six and twelve months bearing interest. Evidenced by notes and secured by a deed of trust or retention of title.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Commissioner of Sale.

I certify that John M. Johnson has executed the bond as required of the commissioner of sale in this suit.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF A deed of trust dated the 17th day of April, 1906, and recorded among the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 13, page 510, given by Maria C. Peyton, widow, to the undersigned, to secure to the Fayings Mutual Building & Loan Association of Alexandria, the sum of twelve hundred dollars, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the second day of April, 1906, as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of the principle of said debt, and at the request and by the direction of the board of directors of the Savings Mutual Building & Loan Association of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, in this city, at 12 o'clock m.,

SATURDAY, April 25, 1908,

All that lot of ground with the improvements thereon, situated on the west side of St. Asaph street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows: to wit. Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph street 17 feet, 4 inches south of Queen street, and running thence parallel to Queen street 61 feet, more or less; thence south parallel to St. Asaph street 16 feet, 9½ inches; thence east in a direct line 61 feet to St. Asaph street; and thence north on St. Asaph street, 16 feet 9½ inches to the point of beginning, with all appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyances at the cost of the purchaser.

C. C. CARLIN, G. H. HARLOW, HENRY STRAUSS, Trustees.

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AUCTION SALES.

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SALE OF VALUABLE REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, including valuable MACHINE SHOPS AND FOUNDRY, ALL EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, AND A NUMBER OF BOILERS, ENGINES, AND A QUANTITY OF BRASS, IRON, ETC.

Pursuant to a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the tenth day of October, 1907, in a chancery cause therein depending, wherein Charles W. Moore is the plaintiff, and T. Alton Moore et als are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 25th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the Market House, on Royal street, the following real estate and personal property in the city of Alexandria, Virginia:

The machine shop and foundry and all the machinery used in connection therewith, and all patterns belonging to the firm of W. S. Moore's Sons, may be sold as a whole or separately. Offers for the said property at private sale may be submitted at any time before the said sale, as a whole or separately. The property to be sold is as follows:

1. All that lot of ground beginning on the north side of Duke street, 88 feet 9 inches west of Union street, and at the west line of an alley 18 feet 9 inches wide; and running thence west on Duke street 17 feet; thence north 100 feet; thence east 17 feet; and thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley.

2. All that lot of ground with the dwelling house thereon beginning on the north side of Duke street 165 feet 9 inches west of Union street, and running thence west on Duke street 23 feet; thence north parallel to Union street 100 feet; thence east parallel to Duke street, 23 feet, and thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the point of beginning.

3. All that lot of ground beginning on the north side of Duke street 153 feet 9 inches west of Union street and running thence west on Duke street 22 feet 10 inches; thence north parallel to Union street 100 feet; thence east parallel to Duke street 22 feet 10 inches; thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning.

4. All that lot of ground with the dwelling house and improvements thereon, beginning at a point on the west side of Lee street 176 feet 7 inches south of Wolfe street, and running thence southwardly with Lee street 33 feet 9½ inches; thence westwardly parallel to Wolfe street 123 feet 5 inches, thence northwardly parallel to Lee street 33 feet 9 inches; and thence eastwardly parallel to Wolfe street 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning, together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

5. All that lot of ground with the improvements thereon beginning on the west side of Lee street 210 feet 4 inches south of Wolfe street, and running thence south on Lee street 16 feet 3 inches; thence west parallel to Wolfe street 123 feet 5 inches; thence north parallel to Lee street 16 feet 3 inches, and thence east in a direct line 129 feet 3 inches to the point of beginning.

6. All that lot of ground in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings thereon, consisting of two dwelling houses, beginning in the center of the square bounded by Fairfax, Lee, Wolfe and Wilkes streets, at a point equally distant from Fairfax and Lee streets in one direction, and from Wolfe and Wilkes street in the other direction, and at the south line of an alley 20 feet wide, and running east with the line, formerly Keith's, 47 feet; thence north parallel to Lee street 25 feet 4 inches; thence west parallel to Wolfe street 47 feet to the said alley, and thence by a straight line to the beginning, with the right of way in common with others entitled thereto over a strip of land 2 feet 8 inches wide, extending from the east line of said ground to Lee street, binding on the line formerly Keith's.

7. All that lot of ground with the building thereon, used as a foundry, situated on the north side of Duke street and west of Union street, and their intersection, in front on Duke street 70 feet, and on Union street 30 feet, the back lines being of the same length respectively as the corresponding front lines, and binding on an alley 18 feet 9 inches wide running north from Duke street, and binding on the east line of said property, with the right of way over the said alley.

8. Beginning on an alley thirty feet wide running from Union street westwardly, at a point 88 feet 9 inches west of Union street and 148 feet 4 inches north of Duke street, and running thence west on said alley 40 feet; thence south parallel to Union street 48 feet 4 inches; thence east parallel to Duke street 40 feet, to an alley 18 feet 9 inches wide; thence along said last named alley 48 feet 4 inches to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alleys in common with others entitled thereto.

9 All that lot of ground improved by a building used as a machine shop, beginning at the intersection of the south side of Duke street with the west side of Potomac Strand, and running thence southwardly with the west side of the said Potomac Strand 100 feet to the north line of an alley 20 feet wide, which extends with that width westwardly from said Strand a distance of 93 feet; thence westwardly with the north line of said alley 62 feet; thence north parallel to the first line 100 feet to Duke street, and thence east on Duke street 62 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over and the use of said Strand and alley in common with others entitled thereto.

10. All that machinery used in connection with the said machine shop and foundry, together with a great number of patterns used in connection with said machine shop and foundry, and also a number of boilers, engines, and a lot of iron, brass, unions, piping, tools, coke, etc, and one automobile.

Terms of sale: Cash as to personalty and one-third cash and the balance in 6 and 12 months as to realty, title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

Plats of the property and further information at the office of Douglass Stuart.

J. K. M. NORTON, DOUGLASS STUART, Commissioners of Sale.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the late firm of W. S. Moore's Sons or R. H. Cox, receiver therefor, are notified to settle their indebtedness with the above named commissioners at once.

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PROPOSALS.

Peabody Building.

Sealed proposals for the purchase of PEABODY SCHOOL BUILDING, situated at the northwest corner of King and Alfred streets, will be received till Tuesday, April 14. The Special Committee of the City School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. For further information address or apply to

W. M. SMITH, M. D., Chairman Special Committee City School Board.

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PROPOSALS.—Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until noon April 24th, and then opened by the Committee on Public Property, for the construction of a record room, &c., in the Market building and for certain alterations, additions, plumbing, painting, &c., &c., in the Court Room, and rooms and hall pertaining thereto.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Engineer's office.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to extend the time for receiving the same.

CHAS. B. MARSHALL, Chairman Committee Public Property.

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS, City Hall, April 9, 1908.

SEALED PROPOSALS addressed to L. E. Uhler, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 p. m., Thursday, April 30, 1908, for the ENTIRE OUTPUT OF COAL GAS TAR of the city Gas Works during the next fiscal year, commencing June 1, 1908, and ending May 31, 1909. Bidders must agree to keep the tar in the well at all times below the outlet or overflow pipe.

Terms: Settlement must be made on the 15th of the month following delivery of tar.

The successful bidder must enter into contract with the Committee on Light for faithful compliance with the above provisions. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

apr9 td J. B. WALLER, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS, City Hall, April 9, 1908.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to L. E. Uhler, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 p. m., Thursday, April 30, 1908, for furnishing the Gas Works with THREE THOUSAND TONS (more or less) of GAS COAL (2,240 pounds to the ton), to be delivered in the sheds at the works trimmed and benched up, during the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1908, and ending May 31, 1909, orders to be accepted by successful bidders any date after awarding of contract so that coal will arrive at the works on or before July 1, 1908.

The coal must be Monongah, Tryconne', Youghiogheny, Montana, Fairmont, Lincoln or other gas coal or equal or superior yield and candle powder. Bidders can give their figures on all of the mines, and are requested to give candle power yield and analysis, per ton coal.

The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Terms: Cash on 15th day of each month following delivery of coal.

By order of the Committee on Light.

apr9 d J. B. WALLER, Clerk.

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 8 45 a. m and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 p. m, 9 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 30 a. m., and 3 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 3 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

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8 32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for Charlottesville and points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches and drawing-room sleepers for New Orleans. Dining car service.

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5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

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